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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Darrin BAST *et al.*

Application No.: 10/758,506

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For: METHODS OF USE OF
GEMIFLOXACIN COMPOUNDS
AGAINST FLUOROQUINOLONE
RESISTANT STREPTOCOCCUS
PNEUMONIAE BACTERIA

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) Group Art Unit: 1614

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) Examiner: K. WEDDINGTON

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) Confirmation No.: 5807

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of October 8, 2004. Please charge the fee of \$110.00 to our deposit account 06-0916.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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